



## Margaret Peterson

July 4, 1926 - August 3, 2008

Margaret was born on July 4, 1926 in Aitkin, Minnesota to the late Edwin and Mabel (Mathison) Lyman. As a young girl she attended country school near Malmo, Minnesota. On February 2, 1947 Margaret was united in marriage to Levi Peterson. To this union four children were born, Donald, Wayne, Beverly, and Sharon. The family lived in Onamia where Margaret worked for thirteen years as a nurse's aide at the Mille Lacs Hospital and in 1973 she then became a cook for Onamia Schools. Margaret had a passion for cooking and cleaning. She was a hard worker and devoted to her ministry of hospitality, both at work and for her church community at Bethany Lutheran Church. She was affectionately known by most as "Ma". Margaret enjoyed spending time visiting with her many friends and relatives, especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Left to cherish her memory are Margaret's loving sons, Donald Peterson and wife, Linda of Isle, MN, Wayne Peterson and wife, Joyce of McGregor, MN; daughters, Beverly Peterson of Forest Lake, MN, and Sharon Nelson of Onamia, MN; a sister, Ruth Bodin of Rochester, WA; and 9 grandchildren; and 8 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Levi Peterson in 1970; parents, Edwin and Mabel (Mathison) Lyman; twin infant brothers; a brother, Edwin "Pete" Lyman; and 2 half brothers, Clifford and Leslie.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 6. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

LeMieur Funeral Home of Onamia  
100 North Pine  
Onamia, MN

## Service

AUG 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

Bethany Lutheran Church - Onamia  
500 Lindquist St  
Onamia, MN 56359

# Tribute Wall



“ *Margaret Peterson*

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January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM